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SUBJECT: DEMARCHE DELIVERED ON OPPOSING CUBA EMBARGO
RESOLUTION

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Classified By: DCM Nicholas Dean. Reasons 1.4 (b/d).

(C) On November 3, Emboff delivered reftel talking points to Narayan Dev Pant, Under Secretary in the United Nations, International Organizations, and International Law Section of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, stressing the importance of voting against the Cuba resolution and encouraging Cuba's transition to democracy. Emboff noted that this vote was an opportunity for Nepal to highlight its own recent transition to democracy through a robust Explanation of Vote during the UNGA. Pant concurred with the talking points and promised to promptly pass the information to his superiors.
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